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Applicant:	Baker et al.	12 January 2007
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For:	Novel Oral Compositions Comprising a Viscosity Modifier for Reduction of Tooth Erosion (as amended)	

Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE

Sir:

Applicants now respond to the Office Action of 13 September 2006, entry of the following Remarks and Amendments into the record is respectfully requested. Also enclosed herewith is a petition for a one (1) month extension of the shortened statutory period set by the Examiner and authorization to charge the required fee to the indicated deposit account.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.